

## **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A lever-operated paper punch generally comprises a base plate, a male die, a cover, a hook pin, a spring and a lever. Wherein the lever is rotatably disposed on the hook pin and which can be rotated to abut flush  
5 against the top surface of the cover so as to eliminate a space between the lever and the base plate, such that the paper punch of the present invention can be well preserved by putting an end to a possibility of injury caused by inserting fingers into the spacing between the lever and the base plate.

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